

# Crisis Management Centre

## CMC Finland

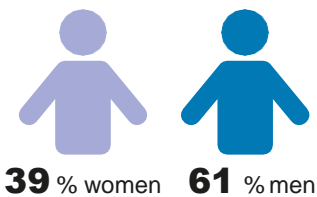
**CMC Finland** was founded in 2007 and operates in conjunction with the Finnish Ministry of the Interior. Its mandate is based on the Act on the Participation of Civilian Personnel in Crisis Management (2004/2018). CMC Finland is tasked with the training, recruitment and duty of care of Finnish civilian experts deployed to international peace operations and missions (EU, UN, OSCE). In addition, CMC Finland maintains situational awareness, and conducts research and development activities.

### EXPERTS

Finland deploys various professionals to international tasks.  
**The secondment usually lasts 1–3 years.**

#### Gender ratio of experts

2018-2022 (a total of 397)



#### Average age of experts

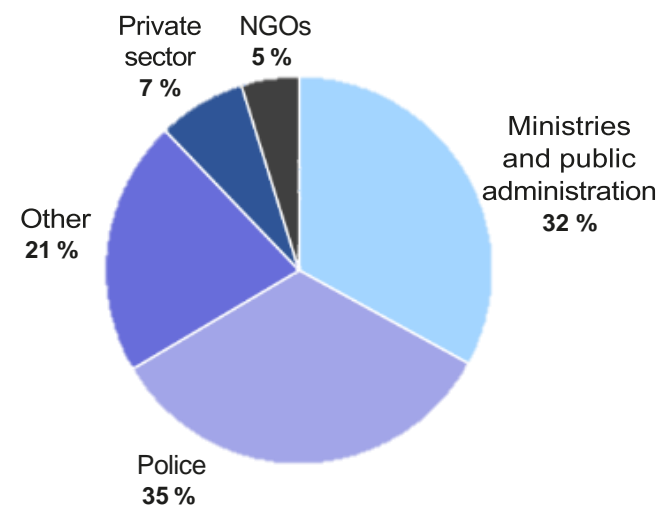
(2018–2022)

While in operation:

**47**  
years.

#### Professional background of experts

2018-2022 (a total of 397)



#### Budget 2023

**Ministry of the Interior:** 2,43 million euros

(CMC Finland national capabilities).

**Ministry for Foreign Affairs:** 17,2 million euros

(deployment costs).

### PARTICIPATION IN INTERNATIONAL OPERATIONS AND MISSIONS

(October 2023: 130 experts)



CMC Finland also deploys experts to various secretariats and other assignments. For example:  
*OSCE, European External Action Service, Council of Europe, UN Women, NATO, International Criminal Court and Kosovo Specialist Chambers.*

### ACTIVITIES

**Based on population size, Finland is one of the largest staff contributors to EU civilian CSDP missions.**

CMC Finland cooperates both nationally and internationally with partner organisations to enhance the training, recruitment and deployment of civilian experts.

**Between 25-50 Finnish experts complete the basic training in civilian crisis management annually.**

After the training they are eligible to apply for seconded positions in missions. Approximately 80 experts are trained annually on advanced courses organised by CMC Finland and a further 25 Finnish experts are trained on partner organisations' courses.

**CMC Finland conducts research, often together with partners, to improve the effectiveness of crisis management and to enhance expert's capabilities.**

